

CHAPTER 119

PARKS

S. F. 428

AN ACT to repeal chapter forty-six (46) of the laws of the thirty-eighth (38th) general assembly relating to a tax levy for park improvement purposes, and to enact a substitute therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 **SECTION 1. Special park levy.** That chapter forty-six (46) of the
2 laws of the thirty-eighth (38th) general assembly be repealed and
3 that the following be enacted in lieu thereof:
4 In all cities including cities acting under special charters where the
5 board of park commissioners shall have, prior to January 1st, nine-
6 teen hundred fourteen (1914) made purchase of property for park
7 purposes by means of the additional tax of one mill authorized by the
8 provisions of chapter fifty-seven (57) of the acts of the thirty-third
9 (33rd) general assembly and chapter forty-four (44) of the acts of
10 the thirty-fourth (34) general assembly, the said board is authorized,
11 in its discretion, to certify to the county auditor for the year nineteen
12 hundred twenty-three (1923), and each year succeeding up to and
13 including nineteen hundred thirty-five (1935), and cause to be col-
14 lected an additional tax of one mill each year to be used for the sole
15 and only purpose of grading, beautifying and otherwise improving
16 any lands acquired for park purposes by means of the tax so authorized
17 or other lands then owned and used for park purposes or for acquiring
18 and improving any driveways or boulevards connecting one park with
19 another.

Approved March 29, A. D. 1923.

CHAPTER 120

PARK IMPROVEMENT BONDS

H. F. 271

AN ACT to amend section two (2), chapter three hundred twelve (312), acts of the thirty-eighth general assembly (C. C. 3675), relating to bonds for park purposes.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 **SECTION 1. Maturity of bonds.** That the law as it appears in
2 section two (2), chapter three hundred twelve (312), acts of the
3 thirty-eighth general assembly (C. C. 3675), be and the same is hereby
4 amended by striking out of line fifteen (15) of said section the word
5 "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five".

1 **SEC. 2. Publication clause.** This act being deemed of immediate
2 importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publica-

3 tion in the Des Moines Capital and Des Moines Register, two news-
4 papers printed and published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved January 27, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register January 28, 1923, and the Des Moines Capital January 29, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 121

PARKS

S. F. 427

AN ACT to repeal section eight hundred fifty-p (850-p) supplemental supplement to the code, nineteen hundred fifteen (1915), (S. C. C. Sec. 3684), as amended by chapter fifty-eight (58) of the laws of the thirty-eighth (38th) general asesmby and by chapter twenty-six (26) of the laws of the thirty-ninth general assembly relating to tax levy for park purposes for the improvement of lakes by dredging or otherwise deepening the same, constructing dikes and levees and changing the form and size thereof, improving such lakes and park lands surrounding the same and for other purposes and adopting a substitute therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Special park levy. That section eight hundred fifty-p
2 (850-p), supplemental supplement to the code, 1915 (S. C. C. Sec.
3 3684), as amended by chapter fifty-eight (58) of the laws of the
4 thirty-eighth general assembly, and by chapter twenty-six (26) of
5 the laws of the thirty-ninth general assembly, be repealed, and the
6 following enacted in lieu thereof:

7 That where any city has, prior to July 1st, eighteen hundred eighty
8 (1880), received a grant of the title from the United States to a
9 meandered lake within its corporate limits, to be held and used for
10 public uses, recreation and park purposes, and where such city has,
11 for more than twenty years devoted the same to the public use,
12 recreation and park purposes, its board of park commissioners is
13 authorized, in the discretion of said board to certify to the county
14 auditor and cause to be collected an additional tax of not exceeding
15 one mill each year commencing with the year nineteen hundred
16 twenty-three (1923) and continuing to and including the year nine-
17 teen hundred thirty-five (1935), to be used for the sole and only
18 purpose of improving such lake by dredging or otherwise deepening
19 the same, constructing dikes and levees for the protection of the same
20 and for changing the form and size thereof, and for the regulation,
21 control and improvement of the water supply and for the improvement
22 and beautifying of such lake, the park land surrounding the same
23 and for the furnishing of suitable equipment thereof for public use
24 and pleasure.

Approved March 29, A. D. 1923.